

59403 to 59642—Continued.

59583. RHODODENDRON sp.

Nos. 11277 (fruit), 8426 (flowers). October, 1923. An exceedingly handsome species 2 to 3 feet high found among limestone boulders on Mount Shenzi at an altitude of 13,000 feet. The oval, acute leaves have impressed veins above and are densely matted beneath with rough cottony tomentum. The flowers are very large and pink.

59584. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11279. October, 1923. A tree 10 feet high growing on the slopes of Mount Shenzi at an altitude of 10,000 feet. The oblong, acute leaves are glabrous and pale brown beneath, and the flowers are red.

59585. RHODODENDRON sp.

Nos. 11281 (fruit), 8437 (flowers). October, 1923. A shrub 4 feet high growing among rocks in Labako, at an altitude of 9,000 feet. The leaves, lanceolate-oval and acute at both ends, are glabrous and glaucous beneath. The flowers are large and white spotted with purple.

59586. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11282. October, 1923. A shrub 8 feet high growing among rocks in the forests of Labako at an altitude of 9,000 feet. The oblong, acute, dull-green leaves, pale brownish green beneath, are strongly veined.

59587. RHODODENDRON sp.

Nos. 11284 (fruit), 9523 (flowers). October, 1923. A shrub 3 feet high found in the alpine meadows of Labako at an altitude of 14,000 feet. The small, elliptical leaves are dotted with brown beneath, and the flowers are lavender-blue.

59588. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11286. October, 1923. A tree 15 feet high found in fir forests on the mountains of Labako at an altitude of 12,000 feet. The obovate-oblong leaves are densely covered beneath with rough brown tomentum, and the flowers are large and pink.

59589. RHODODENDRON sp.

Nos. 11292 (fruit), 8446 (flowers). October, 1923. An exceedingly handsome species growing 6 to 8 feet high among rocks in the alpine region of Labako at an altitude of 13,000 feet. The narrow, linear, needle-shaped leaves are covered beneath with deep-red wool. The flowers are pink, spotted with purple.

59590. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11293. Labako. October, 1923. A shrub 6 feet high found in the alpine region at an altitude of 13,000 feet. The leaves are linear lanceolate and needle shaped and are covered beneath with a rufous wool. The flowers are white.

59591. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11298. October, 1923. A shrub 5 feet high found in the alpine region of Labako at an altitude of 9,000 feet. The orbicular-oval cordate leaves are glaucous purple beneath, and the flowers are red.

59592. RHODODENDRON sp.

Nos. 11299 (fruit), 8474 (flowers). Labako. October, 1923. A shrub 4 to 5 feet high found along stream beds in mixed forests at an altitude of 10,000 feet. The narrow, elliptical leaves are pale green above and pale gray-green beneath. The flowers are handsome yellow.

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59593. RHODODENDRON sp.

Nos. 11300 (fruit), 9511 (flowers). October, 1923. A shrub 7 to 8 feet high found in forests on the slopes of Mount Kintze at an altitude of 10,000 feet. The elliptical, acute leaves are brownish green and glabrous beneath. The flowers are purple.

59594. RHODODENDRON sp.

Nos. 11302 (fruit), 9499 (flowers). October, 1923. A shrub 7 to 8 feet high found on the alpine slopes of Mount Kintze at an altitude of 13,000 feet. The narrow, linear leaves are rufous woolly beneath, and the flowers are white.

59595. RHODODENDRON sp.

Nos. 11309 (fruit), 9478 (flowers). October, 1923. A shrub 6 feet high growing on the rocky alpine slopes of Mount Kintze at an altitude of 13,000 feet. The elliptical, acute leaves are densely covered with rufous wool beneath, and the flowers are white.

59596. RHODODENDRON sp.

Nos. 11317 (fruit), 8702 (flowers). October, 1923. A shrub 6 to 8 feet high found in the alpine meadows of Litiping, Mekong-Yangtze Divide. The rich-green leaves are oval-elliptical and acute at both ends. The flowers are lavender.

59597. RHODODENDRON sp.

Nos. 11318 (fruit), 9194 (flowers). October, 1923. A shrub 6 to 8 feet high growing in the swampy, alpine meadows of Litiping at an altitude of 12,000 feet. The elliptical leaves are covered beneath with a bronze-colored pubescence. The flowers are deep bluish purple.

59598. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11319. October, 1923. A shrub 1 to 2 feet high growing in the swampy alpine meadows of Litiping at an altitude of 12,000 feet. The very small, oval-elliptical leaves are bronze-colored tomentose beneath, and the flowers are rich blue.

59599. RHODODENDRON sp.

Nos. 11328 (fruit), 9749 (flowers). Peima Mountains. November, 1923. A shrub 3 to 4 feet high found at an altitude of 13,000 feet. The oval, glabrous leaves, rounded at both ends, are pale green beneath, and the flowers are pinkish white with deep-purple markings.

59600. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11329. November, 1923. A shrub 7 to 8 feet high found on the alpine slopes of the Peima Mountains at an altitude of 13,000 feet. The oval-elliptical leaves are pale, or dark brown, soft tomentose beneath.

59601. RHODODENDRON ARALIAEFORME Balf. f. and Forrest.

Nos. 11331 (fruit), 10359 (flowers). Atuntze Mountains. November, 1923. A shrub 5 to 6 feet high found at an altitude of 11,500 feet. The oval, glabrous leaves are pale yellow beneath.

59602. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11333. November, 1923. A shrub 8 to 10 feet high growing on the alpine slopes of Mount Peima at an altitude of 15,000 feet. The large, ovate-oblong leaves are a rich golden brown, soft tomentose beneath.